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In re the Application of

Atsushi HAYASHI

Group Art Unit: 3714

Application No.: 09/762,955

Examiner: A. Capron

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Docket No.: 108614

For: IMAGE GENERATION METHOD AND PROGRAM (AS AMENDED)

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

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